



MANOA NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD NO. 7

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REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday November 7, 2007 7:00 P.M.
Noelani Elementary School Cafeteria

2655 Woodlawn Drive

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**PLEASE NOTE:** To accommodate the business that must be considered at this meeting as listed on the agenda below, all speakers are encouraged to be brief (3 minutes for questions and comments unless otherwise directed by the Board) and to the point in order to move the discussions forward. All interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to submit data, views, or arguments in writing and present oral testimony on any agenda item, pursuant to the “Sunshine Law” – Hawaii Revised Statutes Section 92-3. ***Thank you for your participation and cooperation!***  
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1. **Call to order by Chair Paul Holtrop**
 - 1.1. Introduction of board members
2. **Filling of Board Vacancies**
 - 2.1. Subdistrict 4: Two Vacancies See the Reference Section 13.1 below for more information regarding subdistrict boundaries.
3. **Public Safety Reports**
 - 3.1. Honolulu Fire Department
 - 3.2. Honolulu Police Department
4. **Community Input**
 - 4.1. Honolulu City Council Member Ann Kobayashi
 - 4.2. Mayor’s Representative: Hubert Minn, Deputy Director of the Department of Customer Services
 - 4.3. State Representative Kirk Caldwell
 - 4.4. State Senator Brian Taniguchi
 - 4.5. Governor’s Representative: Larry Reifurth, Director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
 - 4.6. University of Hawaii Representative: Jim Manke
 - 4.7. Residents and others not on the agenda
5. **Presentations**
 - 5.1. Toru Hamayasu and Pat Lee – Update on Honolulu High Capacity Transit Corridor
 - 5.2. Introduction of Christopher Dunn – Director of Lyon Arboretum
 - 5.3. Nathan Say – Presentation on “People First” Language
 - 5.4. UH-Manoa Outreach College – Further information on the proposed Dole Street closure at commencement – The board may take action on this item.
 - 5.5. Peter Wong – Church in Honolulu – CUP/Minor application for property located at 2289 Kamehameha Ave. – The board may take action on this item
6. **Approval of Minutes**
 - 6.1. Approval of the minutes of the October 3, 2007 meeting.
7. **Committee Reports**
 - 7.1. Report from Planning, Transportation and Public Safety Committee – Tom Heinrich
8. **Unfinished Business**
9. **New Business**
10. **Board Administration and Planning**
 - 10.1. Treasurer’s Report – Rose Niimoto
 - 10.2. Appointment of members to serve on Planning, Transportation and Public Safety Committee
11. **Announcements and Correspondence**



- 11.1. Aloha Aina Day #33 – Saturday November 10, 2007 8 a.m. – 2 p.m. at McKinley H.S., fundraiser for McKinley H.S. There will be numerous recyclers on site, including people to do document shredding and cooking oil recycling. Contact Neal Takamori (594-0444) or Rene Mansho (306-1876) for more information or to schedule curbside pickup of items. See http://www.envhonolulu.org/pdfs/solid_waste/Aloha_Aina_11_10_07.pdf for more information.
- 11.2. The deadline for public comments to the Department of Planning and Permitting for the proposed cell phone tower in Manoa Chinese Cemetery is November 23, 2007. Address for comments is 650 S. King St., 7th Floor, Honolulu HI, 96813. Contact person is Lynne Kauer at 988-2231.

12. **Adjournment**

13. **Reference information**

- 13.1. **Neighborhood Board Vacancies:** Two vacancies in Subdistrict 4 exist on the 17-seat board as of September 26, 2007. Volunteers to fill the vacant positions are encouraged. Subdistrict boundaries are at the URL -<http://www.co.honolulu.hi.us/nco/maps/nbm7.htm>
For more information, please call the Neighborhood Commission Office at 527-5749 or come to the next meeting, where an opportunity to join the board will be presented.
- 13.2. **Next Regular Board Meeting.** The Manoa Neighborhood Board's next regular meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, December 5 at 7:00 P.M.** at Noelani Elementary School Cafeteria, 2655 Woodlawn Drive. The regular meetings of the Board are held on the first Wednesday of each month at the same time and place, unless otherwise noticed. To verify the meeting schedule, please call the Neighborhood Commission Office at 527-5749.
- 13.3. **'Olelo Cablecast of Board Meetings.** Watch the entire Board session on Channel 54, Saturday nights at 9:00 p.m.. The meetings are taped by [Makakilo.com](http://www.makakilo.com), Bob Farrell, Proprietor. There may be a week or two delay until the first showing for a month's meeting. The 'Olelo program schedule is at the URL - <http://www.olelo.org/programming/default.html>
- 13.4. **Neighborhood Commission meetings** are at the City Council Chamber, Honolulu Hale, 3rd Floor, 530 South King Street. To verify the meeting schedule and review the agenda, please call the Neighborhood Commission Office at 527-5749.
- 13.5. **City and State Budget Information.** For information on the City Council's budget process and schedule, please call the office of **Councilmember Ann Kobayashi at 547-7005** (our own Council District 5). For information on the State Legislature's budget process and schedule, please call the office of **Senator Brian Taniguchi at 586-6460** (our own Senate District 10).

Note: The Board's current budget period and the City & County of Honolulu's current fiscal year (FY 2007) is the period from July 1, 2006 to June 30, 2007. The State of Hawaii's current biennial budget is for the period July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2007.

- 13.6. Suggestions for capital improvement projects (CIPs) in the Manoa Neighborhood Board district are welcome at any time in preparation for planning activities and the next fiscal year budgets. Please contact the Board or any elected official for our area to convey your ideas.
- 13.7. Anyone who would like to make a presentation to the Manoa Neighborhood Board is invited to contact the Chairperson at the phone number or email address listed below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, please contact:

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